

Size of the California Nonprofit Sector by County, 2002

USF Institute for Nonprofit Organization Management

County	Population	501(c)(3) Organizations				
		Total Income		Number of nonprofits		
		amount	% total	count	% total	per 1,000 persons
CALIFORNIA (County Total)	33,871,648	\$189,609,127,552	100.00%	101,930	100.00%	3.01
Alameda*	1,443,741	\$50,638,505,601	26.71%	5,718	5.61%	3.96
Alpine	1,208	\$1,027,515	0.00%	9	0.01%	7.45
Amador	35,100	\$54,893,176	0.03%	121	0.12%	3.45
Butte	203,171	\$677,806,938	0.36%	672	0.66%	3.31
Calaveras	40,554	\$45,520,283	0.02%	162	0.16%	3.99
Colusa	18,804	\$13,910,589	0.01%	32	0.03%	1.70
Contra Costa	948,816	\$2,590,856,498	1.37%	2,795	2.74%	2.95
Del Norte	27,507	\$55,603,055	0.03%	89	0.09%	3.24
El Dorado	156,299	\$245,492,701	0.13%	464	0.46%	2.97
Fresno	799,407	\$1,848,010,321	0.97%	1,751	1.72%	2.19
Glenn	26,453	\$6,244,772	0.00%	78	0.08%	2.95
Humboldt	126,518	\$342,801,311	0.18%	584	0.57%	4.62
Imperial	142,361	\$57,879,267	0.03%	220	0.22%	1.55
Inyo	17,945	\$22,216,097	0.01%	103	0.10%	5.74
Kern	661,645	\$746,433,661	0.39%	1,478	1.45%	2.23
Kings	129,461	\$274,999,769	0.15%	197	0.19%	1.52
Lake	58,309	\$164,150,383	0.09%	180	0.18%	3.09
Lassen	33,828	\$14,243,860	0.01%	91	0.09%	2.69
Los Angeles	9,519,338	\$53,141,685,065	28.03%	28,836	28.29%	3.03
Madera	123,109	\$330,143,273	0.17%	252	0.25%	2.05
Marin	247,289	\$1,501,863,907	0.79%	1,666	1.63%	6.74
Mariposa	17,130	\$4,933,913	0.00%	85	0.08%	4.96
Mendocino	86,265	\$366,630,093	0.19%	486	0.48%	5.63
Merced	210,554	\$219,911,361	0.12%	391	0.38%	1.86
Modoc	9,449	\$11,696,691	0.01%	29	0.03%	3.07
Mono	12,853	\$4,586,522	0.00%	61	0.06%	4.75
Monterey	401,762	\$1,141,967,673	0.60%	1,206	1.18%	3.00
Napa	124,279	\$681,445,377	0.36%	512	0.50%	4.12
Nevada	92,033	\$80,814,407	0.04%	410	0.40%	4.45
Orange	2,846,289	\$9,048,517,361	4.77%	7,555	7.41%	2.65
Placer	248,399	\$394,005,388	0.21%	761	0.75%	3.06
Plumas	20,824	\$37,414,939	0.02%	137	0.13%	6.58
Riverside	1,545,387	\$2,077,438,208	1.10%	3,425	3.36%	2.22
Sacramento	1,223,499	\$4,011,483,911	2.12%	3,769	3.70%	3.08
San Benito	53,234	\$13,906,505	0.01%	125	0.12%	2.35
San Bernardino	1,709,434	\$2,953,582,956	1.56%	3,657	3.59%	2.14
San Diego	2,813,833	\$10,405,667,635	5.49%	7,901	7.75%	2.81
San Francisco	776,733	\$17,575,654,372	9.27%	5,122	5.03%	6.59
San Joaquin	563,598	\$1,147,595,205	0.61%	1,260	1.24%	2.24
San Luis Obispo	246,681	\$477,220,573	0.25%	999	0.98%	4.05
San Mateo	707,161	\$2,963,841,883	1.56%	2,172	2.13%	3.07
Santa Barbara	399,347	\$2,015,306,849	1.06%	1,795	1.76%	4.49
Santa Clara	1,682,585	\$15,162,544,956	8.00%	4,924	4.83%	2.93
Santa Cruz	255,602	\$655,487,383	0.35%	1,050	1.03%	4.11
Shasta	163,256	\$298,405,937	0.16%	567	0.56%	3.47
Sierra	3,555	\$1,495,273	0.00%	24	0.02%	6.75
Siskiyou	44,301	\$74,811,214	0.04%	236	0.23%	5.33
Solano	394,542	\$479,873,709	0.25%	886	0.87%	2.25
Sonoma	458,614	\$1,178,297,989	0.62%	1,739	1.71%	3.79
Stanislaus	446,997	\$920,101,201	0.49%	969	0.95%	2.17
Sutter	78,930	\$34,034,594	0.02%	190	0.19%	2.41
Tehama	56,039	\$18,634,569	0.01%	151	0.15%	2.69
Trinity	13,022	\$9,118,780	0.00%	71	0.07%	5.45
Tulare	368,021	\$266,421,524	0.14%	757	0.74%	2.06
Tuolumne	54,501	\$192,189,937	0.10%	215	0.21%	3.94
Ventura	753,197	\$1,402,898,071	0.74%	2,027	1.99%	2.69
Yolo	168,660	\$222,847,313	0.12%	595	0.58%	3.53
Yuba	60,219	\$284,054,285	0.15%	156	0.15%	2.59
Unassigned		\$953	0.00%	17	0.02%	N/A

* Income for Kaiser Permanente Health Care & related organizations make up 91% of Alameda County's total income.

Sorted alphabetically by county.

Based on IRS Business Master File, downloaded 02/04

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Technical Documentation

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Nonprofit data in this table refers specifically to organizations with tax exemption under IRS code section 501(c)(3), commonly referred to as public charities.

All of the data on nonprofits is based on the IRS Business Master File, downloaded February 2004 from the IRS 'Tax Stats' website (<http://www.irs.gov/eo>).

The first row of the table provides statewide totals for each field.

Definition of the table fields, from left to right:

County – Alphabetical list of counties.

Population – Residents living in the county according to 2000 US Census.

Amount, Total Income – Sum of income for organizations reporting on their IRS form 990 tax return. Note that only organizations with more than \$25,000 in annual income are required to file form 990. Churches are also not required to file, though many do.

% Total, Income – Calculated by dividing total charity income for the county by the total for the entire state.

Count, Number of Nonprofits – Count of all 501(c)(3) organizations in a county, regardless of tax return status.

% Total, Number of Nonprofits – Calculated by dividing total number of public charities for the county by the total for the entire state.

Per 1,000 Persons, Number of Nonprofits – Calculated by dividing the number of nonprofits by county population entered in thousands.

Note that Alameda County's total income is heavily biased by the large contribution of Kaiser Permanente, a tax exempt hospital corporation. Income for Kaiser and affiliated filers accounts for 91% of the total county income.